## WOULD BE SOLDIERS.

MANY APPLICATIONS TO JOIN THE THIRD REGIMENT.

AT THE RECRUITING STATION.

AS ACCEPTED.

The Standard of Membership in the Third to Be Raised-Recruits Will Take the Place of Those Who Are Given Discharge.

lows. 'Ow is a man that wants to hinlist goin' to get in hif you block up the doorat 230 Walnut street yesterday afternoon, his receiving a high commission in case

would in all honor have to be granted and his place filled temporarily and, when he returned fresh from the victories of the kee, in which Mr. Bruce asks: "Will the American arms in Cuba, would be at once reinstated as collector of revenue. It might then be somewhat delicate to bother him for a considerable time.

The case of Milton Welsh, who served under Fitzhugh Lee in one war, would be similar. Supposing that General Lee were to ask for some Maryland soldiers to go with him, and offer a commission to Mr. Welsh and he should go. He could have the year's leave of absence, and would be NEARLY AS MANY MEN REJECTED should come to pass then the men slated for the places and waiting to take them long time before they could get out on the main line again.

The same permission has been given em-ployes of the postoffice department and, in case Assistant Postmaster Charles Seidlitz should decide to raise a company and go to the front, some clerk would be given his place temporarily and no matter who was postmaster when he returned with his victorious legion, he would have the sol-emn promise of the postmaster general that his desk would again be given him and he resume his old-time duties.

These instances simply show what won-derful possibilities lie ahead of the Demoway? Now hall you kids get hout o' 'ere. cratic officeholders if they choose to us Get hout, I tell you," and suiting action to them as it is possible to do. Just what his words Sergeant James Sykes, late of probabilities there are of these officials en-her majesty's army, but now of the Third listing has not been ascertained, but Mr. regiment, N. G. M., caught two or three Withers believes that American honor regiment, N. G. M., caught two or three of the irrepressible youngsters who had forced their way into the new recruiting under Fitzhugh Lee, has been laboring under much patriotic excitement since Lee's station, which the Third regiment opened return and is watching the probability of



AT THE RECRUITING OFFICE.

and sent them scurrying to the sidewalk. When the Third is called out Colonel When the Third is called out Colonel
Gross intends that it shall leave Kansas
City 1,000 strong. Three hundred new men
are needed, and the recruiting station was
opened yesterday afternoon as the quickest way of getting them. Captain C. E.
Wilson, assistant surgeon of the regiment,
was in charge. Dr. Slusher and Dr. Bartlett, of the hospital corps of the regiment,
assisted him in examining those who wanted to enlist. Sergeant James Sykes, chief
of the bugle corps, looked after things in
general, and used his persuasive powers to
swell the list of new recruits. At exactly
2:20 o'clock the doors were opened and the
work of enlistment began. William Dunning was the first to step up to the table
behind which Captain Wilson sat.
"What is your name?" he was asked.
"William Dunning," came the reply.
"Kentucky,"
"Kentucky, eh." echoed Sergeant Sykes.
"There's a fighter for ye. Bet he'll do
business with the Spaniards."
"What is your age," continued Captain
Wilson.
"Thirty-eight." Gross intends that it shall leave Kansas

the day.

"You men that want to fight step this way." shouted Sergeant Sykes. "Hey, there, McGuire, come up 'ere. Hi know you fur a fighter. 'Ere's a likely lad for you, captain. Hi knew 'im in A of the Seventh cavalry. Es hall right for a strong large knowledge for the sold the militia should, and he thought he would, be given the preference

much to Screeant Sykes' delight. and Scotch. Can't beat 'em for scrapping." he muttered while the line of other applihe muttered while the line of other appli-cants continued to pass in front of Cap-tain Wilson. There was a temporary break in the line, and then the voice of Sykes rose above the hum of other voices. "What's the matter with you fellers?" 'Fraid the Spaniards will get you? Get in line there and show the kind o' stuff you're made of."

Jack, Paul Shepard, Charles F. O'Brien, Jack, Paul Shepard, Charles F. O'Brien, Mediure, laborer; W. C. Howry, clerk, S. E. McKenney, salesman; J. C. Adello, laborer; H. H. Rogers, egg chandler; O. R. Kleinke, peace officer; John Conner, tinsmith; James Leonard, waiter; H. B. Lapper, salesman; W. H. Boxley, horse trader; Joseph Mcyers, newsboy; L. R. Davis, telegraph operator; W. T. Bunney, L. E. Muzzy, J. Hartmier and G. C. Rimes, The average height of the men was 5 feet Sty inches. L. R. Davis, who was born in Texas, was the only six-footer of the lot. The average weight fell a little short of Lip pounds. The average are was 25 years, Only three were born in Missourl, and but one man was born in a foreign country. The recruiting station will be opened at 9 o'clock this morning.

#### A NEW LEASE OF LIFE. A Chance for Democratic Federal Officeholders to Circumvent

Their Successors. While F. E. Kellogg has been appointed both men might be kept out of their political heritage for many months or even they would be reinstated when they reyears if Webster Withers and Milton Weish turned. In case any vacancies are cause Uncle Sam in the war that seems immi- fill them with temporary appointments. nent. Under the provisions of the official circular sent out by Lyman J. Gage, secretary of the treasury department, yester-day, providing that all employes and others Superintendent Greenwood Explains the employ of the treasury department who desired could have a year's leave of absence to enlist if they choose and at the

end of the war be promptly reinstated in their old positions.

of war. Mr. Seidlitz, who was educated in Germany, has always been an admirer of the War Lord of Germany and believes in a positive military strength as one of

the great factors for preserving peace. Many plans, quite as good as have made by men who expect soon to take official place in the government's employ here, have been upset and there is no tell ments are delayed until war really be-

#### COLONEL CRAIG'S REGIMENT. COLONEL CRAIG'S REGIMENT. ers, George Sermon. Cemetery-J. W. Martin, W. A. Cunning-ham, M. R. Wright.

Volunteers Opened Last

Night.

When Colonel H. H. Craig and several of his associates, who are organizing the First regiment of Missouri volunteers, last evening went to the rooms at the northeast corner of Ninth and Central streets, "Your occupation?"
"Salesman."

Dunning was then passed over to Dr. Slusher, who took his weight, height, chest and waist measurement, expansion and respiration. His heart was tested, his eyes examined, and a number of diseases were mentioned, any one of which he was asked if he had ever contracted. He was accepted, and after taking the oath of allegiance to the United States and obedience to his military commanders he signed his enlistment paper, the first recruit of the day.

which were to have been opened this morning as a headquarters for the enlistment of men for the regiment, they found a rowd in front of the doors, the members of which were anxious to be the first the morning as a headquarters for the enlistment of men for the regiment, they found a rowd in front of the doors, the members of which were anxious to be the first the morning as a headquarters for the enlistment of men for the regiment, they found a rowd in front of the doors, the members of which were anxious to be the first the morning as a headquarters for the enlistment of men for the regiment, they found a rowd in front of the doors, the members of which were anxious to be the first the manner of the doors, the members of which were anxious to be the first the morning as a headquarters for the enlistment of men for the regiment, they found a rowd in front of the doors, the members of which were to have been opened this morning as a headquarters for the enlistment of men for the regiment, they found a rowd in front of the doors, the members of which were anxious to be the first the morning as a headquarters for the enlistment of men for the regiment, they found a rowd in front of the doors, the members of which were anxious to be the first the morning as a headquarters for the enlistment of men for the regiment, they found a rowd in front of the doors, the first the manner of the morning as a headquarters for the enlistment of men for the regiment. which were to have been opened this morn closed last night about sixty names were

Seventh cavalry. Es half right to a scrap, Hand 'cre's hanother. Come hover scrap, Hand 'cre's hanother. Come hover 'cre. Leonard. This man was in F of the Pourth cavalry. E's a Scotchman. 'E'll tight. Can't 'clp lt, you know."

McGuire and Leonard were soon enlisted, the front at the same time. He denied the come current that rumor which had become current that Governor Stephens had promised his regiment should be the first to leave the state. Colonel Craig has been at the head of movement to form a regiment of volunteers in Kansas City for the past month and for several days a number of men trained in military service have been holding daily meetings in the New York Life

others stepped forward. Some were rejected for various causes. The majority of the applicants were taken into the regiment. One very pronounced characteristic of the successful candidates was the serious cast of their faces and their absolute dumbness on anything like war talk. In fact, the entire absence of braggadocio among those who enlisted, or those who watched the proceedings out of curiosity, was a marked feature of the afternoon at the recruiting station. When the doors were closed at 6 o'clock twenty-two additions had been made to Uncle Sam's land forces. lach, Robert O. McLin, Wade Mountfortt, Those callisted yesterday were: William E. C. Smith and Fred Howard, captains bunning, salesman; W. G. Clark, student; colin Hartmer, newsboy; Jeff Dibble, wait-t. W. F. Bair, laborer; A. S. Page, pho-Jack, Paul Shepard, Charles F. O'Brien,

## Revenue Officials Who Go to War Will Be Reinstated on Their Re-

turn From Battle. Internal Revenue Collector Withers yesterday morning received copies of the circular letter issued by Secretary Lyman J. Gage, of the treasury department, saving collector of internal revenue and Will Kess- that all employes and officers of that deinger is slated for surveyor of the port, partment who wish could take leaves of should suddenly enlist as volunteers for by leaves of absence the department will

# EDUCATORS IN BATTLE.

the Circumstances Under Which They Will Fight Spaniards.

Superintendent Greenwood has not vet decided to culist, he says, but there is no Now, if Mr. Withers should to-day enlist discount on the degree of his patriotic ar-and ask for the year's leave of absence, it

declaration of war with Spain affect the national educational meeting? Will the meetings be declared off? What action, if any, in this direction, has your executive committee taken?" Mr. Greenwood an-

"Dear Mr. Bruce:-War with Spain will not affect the N. E. A. in the least. Should the Spaniards sail up the Potomac, we will adjourn for a few hours to help thrash them, and then go on with the exercises."

#### RECRUITS FOR COMPANY B. Colonel Metcalf, of First Regiment K

N. G., Orders Enlistment of Forty More Men.

Colonel Metcalf, of the First regiment, Cansas national guard, has issued an or er to Captain Walker, of Company B, K. N. G., in Kansas City, Kas., instructing him to increase the company forty mem bers, to make the membership 100, exclud ing officers. The company met last night at the armory in Kansas City, Kas., and drilled for two hours. Several new mem ers were recruited and it is believed that by Saturday the additional forty soldiers

Major Fred Buchan, of the First regi ment, who lives in Kansas City, Kas., stated last night that the regiment was in good shape and could be equipped and placed in readiness to move with twelve nours' notice.

#### URGED TO TAKE AN OFFICE Clay McDonald Insists That W. I. Buechle Relieve Him So He Can Go to the Front.

Will L. Buechle, of St. Joseph, recently appointed surveyor of port of that city was in Kansas City yesterday. He expect to assume the duties of his government position to-day, relieving Captain Clay M Donald, who has been insisting for severa weeks that Mr. Buechle take charge of the office and leave him free to go to the front The present surveyor is captain of the Macdonald Rifles, the name of which military company was recently changed from the Wickham Rifles in honor of the man who has been captain of it for a decade.

Bond Slightly Irregular.

Washington, April 20.—(Special.) Inquiries have been received here regarding the delay in the change of officers of the surveyorship of the port of St. Joseph. Information elicited at the treasury department to-day discloses the fact that a slight irregularity was found in Mr. Buechle's bond, and that it has been returned for correction, hence the delay.

Col. Harriman's Recruiting Office. Colonel D. S. Harriman has opened recruiting office for volunteers at 518 Delaware street, and expects to enlist 1,000 men The recruiting office will be open evenings until 9 o'clock, as well as during the

#### INDEPENDENCE.

Flags Unfurled All Over the City When News of the Ultimatum Was Received.

Was Received.

When the news that President McKinley had sent an ultimatum to Spain was received there was a display of patriotism seldom equaled in this city. A. J. Bundschu unfurled a large flag over his business house, and a few minutes later the national colors were sent to the top of the flagpole on the county court house. This flag can be seen all over the city, and in a short time the city presented a Fourth of July appearance. Flags fluttered from nearly all the business houses and many residences.

Mayor Appoints Committees.

Mayor Woodson appointed the following committees of the council to serve during the ensuing year:
Ways and means—J. V. B. Martin, W. A. Cunningham, J. H. Knoepker.
Finance—M. R. Wright, I. N. Rogers, J. V. B. Martin.
Light, and water—A. A. White G. Sor-V. B. Martin.
Light and water—A. A. White, G. Sermon, J. W. Martin.
Fire department—G. Sermon, J. V. B.
Martin, J. H. Knoepker.
Street and alley—W. A. Cunningham, A.
White J. W. Martin, A. A. White, J. W. Martin. Ordinances-J. H. Knoepker, I. N. Rog-

Samuel Harris Kills Himself.

A telegram was received in this city yes-terday from Van Buren, Ark., stating that Samuel Harris, who left here with his fam-ily a few days ago for Texas, had com-mitted suicide after sending his family to Texas. Harris was a relative of Jerry Johnson, of this city, who was for many years a road overseer.

Divorce Suits Filed.

Nannie Marshall yesterday filed sult for divorce from Robert N. Marshall. They were married in 1882 and separated two years ago. She alleges desertion. Alice Supplee yesterday brought suit at Independence for divorce from Frank Sup-plee, who, she alleges, is a vagrant.

Volunteer Company to Be Formed. During the past few days a muster roll has been circulated among the young men of this city and signed by thirty of them, who have volunteered their services in case of a call for troops.

Mrs. Perry Leap died yesterday at her home in Blue Springs of consumption. The uneral will take place this afternoon from the residence.

Mrs. F. W. Franklin, of Kanses City, spent yesterday with relatives in this city.

Shannon K. Knox left yesterday for Nor-

ris, Mont., where he is engaged in mining.

A match game of basketball will be played Friday night at Armory hall between Company F's team and a picked Miss Cora Crawford has returned to her

Miss Cora Crawford has returned to her home at Warrensburg, after a brief visit with the family of W. S. Loar.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Brocaw left for their home at Harrisonville. Mo.. yesterday.

The Independence Klondike party, of which A. J. Lewis was a member, has been heard from at Ashcroft, B. C.

Mrs. J. E. Walters is again confined to her home by illness. She is suffering from an attack of heart failure. Mrs. J. E. Walters is again confined to her home by illness. She is suffering from an attack of heart failure.

Jonathan Woolums, aged 88 years, died at the home of his son, on Elm street, Tuesday evening, of old age.

Mrs. Henry Brady was last evening reported to be in a dying condition at the home of her son, County Treasurer Thomas F. Brady. F. Brady.
The Journal is delivered to all parts of the city for 45 cents per month.

GIFT FOR KANSAS UNIVERSITY.

#### George A. Fowler Donates \$18,000 for a New Electrical Engineering Building.

George A. Fowler, president of the Fower Packing Company, offered the University of Kansas yesterday \$18,000 to put up a new electrical engineering building on condition that the board of regents of the university provide \$20,000 for equipments and machinery for the new building. The board has the \$20,000 on hand and at its meeting next week will accept the offer of Mr. Fowler.

The electrical building of the university was burned March 22. Lucien 1. Blake, professor of electrical science in the university, is a warm personal friend of Mr. Fowler's and was with him in Kansas City all of yesterday arranging for the generous gift of Mr. Fowler.

Professor Blake said last night that the board of regents had the \$29,000 on hand which could be used for equipment of the new building. The board, at its meeting next week, would undoubtedly accept Mr. Fowler's offer. For \$18,000 a much better stone building than the old electrical building could be put up, and the \$20,000 as a starter for equipment would place the electrical department of the Kansas university far ahead of any other school in the West. Professor Blake said the burned building would be repaired and used as a power and heating plant.

There was great rejoicing at Lawrence, Kas., yesterday, especially among the faculty and students of the university, when the news of Mr. Fowler's gift was received. The electrical building of the university

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FOUR TRAINLOADS OF CAVALRYMEN GO THROUGH.

FROM FORTS RILEY AND LOGAN

THEY WERE BOUND FOR CHATTA-NOOGA. TENN.

Troops From Other Western and Southern Forts Will Reach the City Sometime This Afternoon-Crowd Greeted the Soldiers.

Four trainloads of troops from Fort Riley and Fort Logan on their way to Chattanooga passed through the city yesterday and last night. Three of the trains carried cavalrymen from Fort Riley, Kas., the fourth was loaded with cavalrymen from Fort Logan, Col. Eight companies of the Seventh infantry from Fort Logan Col., left there at noon yesterday over the Santa Fe railroad and will go through Kansas City sometime between noon and 4 o'clock this afternoon. There will be tween 500 and 600 men, and the train will be in three sections. It was reported at the Union depot last night that 120 cavalrymen from Fort Wingate, A. T., would pas through this city to-day.

The two squadrons of cavalry from Fort Riley-about 700 men-reached Kansas City at an early hour yesterday morning from Fort Riley, Kas., en route to Chick amauga. The detachment consisted of cight troops of the First and Second cav



LIEUTENANT COL. A. R. CHAFFEE Third Cavalry, U. S. A., Fort Riley.

alry, four troops to each squadron. The train of seventy-two cars came in over the Union Pacific in three sections, which were run about twenty minutes apart. At this point it was transferred to the Missouri Pacific, whose engines steamed out of the yards with their warlike burden at break of day for St. Louis, where the Illinois Central will receive the three sections and deliver them at Chattanooga.

There was an entire absence of the crowds and the shouting that marked the passage on Tuesday of the infantry from Leavenworth. The first-gray of the new morn was just tinging the east when the little army reached this stage of its journey, and, with the exception of a few guards, the troopers were sleeping. A small detail of newspaper men met the train; no one else was about except the night gang employed in the yards. A Pullman, eight tourist sleepers and seven freight cars made up the first section, freight cars made up the first section, upon which were Colonel A. K. Arnold, Major J. M. Bell and other officers, with 350 troopers, while the second section practically the same equipment and number of men, carried also the regimental band of twenty-five pieces, a hospital corps of eighteen and a signal corps of sixtee men. In the third section, composed of stock and box cars, were ninety mules and over 500 horses, the latter to serve as mounts for the men and mules as pack animals, for transporting rations and am munition when on the march.

Major J. M. Bell commanded the first quadron, comprising companies F and K of the First cavalry, and Companies G and H of the Second cavalry, Captains F. K. Ward T. T. Knox F. W. Sibley and F. V. Robinson, respectively. The second squadron was under the command of Major W. A. Rafferty, and comprised Companies C. D and F of the Second cavalry, Captains T. J. Lewis, C. Augtur, L. M. Brett and E. J. McCruand, Colonel A. K. Arnold and Adjutant W. S. Scott were in general command of the detachment. It was these troopers who less than a year ago delighted the crowds at the Horse show with their maneuvers. They will now have the opportunity of putting their skill to a practical test upon the Spaniards, whom they are likely to meet face to face in the

next ten days.

Two troops of the Second cavalry from Fort Logan, Col., passed through Kansas City at 10:20 o'clock last night on the way to Chattanooga. There were 107 cavalrymer and six officers on the train, which left Denver at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon on the Santa Fe road. Captain Joshua Fowler was in charge. The train consisted of nine stock cars filled with horses and mules, and seven passenger coaches. There was a big crowd at the Union de-

pot to see the cavalrymen. As the train pulled in slowly the car windows were full of soldiers leaning out. The crowd on the depot platform cheered and the soldiers leaned farther out the

windows and gave answering cheers, waving hats, handkerchiefs and miniature flags. Most of the cavalrymen got off the as soon as it stopped. In the crowd on the depot platform were uite a number of women and they joined in the cheering of the soldiers. A woman, who was escorted by a man, left him for a moment after the soldiers had alighted

and stepped forward to where a group of

them stood near the car steps. She lean

ed forward so that her head was within the little circle of soldiers and said: chance to whip the Spaniards. The men lifted their soft felt hats and one of them said: "We hope so, too." The train was at the depot only five min-utes. It was run back into the yards and switched to the Missouri Pacific tracks

## Walter Davis Remembered.

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Walter M. Davis, who closed his two years as superintendent of streets yesterday, was very pleasantly remembered last evening by the employes of his office and the foremen of the street gangs. The men called at his home, 3000 East Twelfth street, and presented him with a silk imbrella and gold headed cane. The umbrella was from his office force and the cane from the street foremen. A mandolin club was present and furnished the music for the evening. Mr. Davis entertained his friends in a very pleasant way.

Those present were: J. W. Downing. Theodore S. Jones, N. H. Phipps, F. W. Marsh, A. E. Longmeier, Joseph A. White, J. W. Byencer, Z. T. Boulware, W. J. Stephenson, Fred Anderson, Porter Carmack and A. F. Meador.

Read the classified page to-day. There is comething "in it" for you.

#### THE WAY SOUTH THE NEWS AT LEAVENWORTH. THREE PHASES OF A WAR. Clerks' Union Sues for Violation of an Agreement-Fort Looks

Lonely. The clerks' union, of this city, propose to make it warm for those business men who violate the agreement made with the union, and yesterday caused the ar-

the union, and yesterday caused the ar-rest of Louis Isaacson. He is charged with keeping his store open and exposing goods for sale on Sundays, and especially on Sun-day, March 13. During the winter months the clerks circulated a petition asking that the merchants close their business houses at 6:30 p. m. and grant them certain privileges, which petition was generally signed and among the signers was the defendant

and among the signers was the defendant in this case.

The clerks allege that he, with a few others, have violated the agreement regarding early closing and claim that he has kept open long after the stipulated hour. They then organized a boycott against him, but on his promise to comply with the agreement the boycott was raised. The clerks assert that he has not kept his promise since the boycott was raised. The clerks assert that he has not kept his promise, since the boycott was lifted, and now propose to resort to extreme measures. The complaint was sworn to before Justice Johnson by John J. Roche, president of the executive committee of the Trades' Council. Mr. Roche stated that he had secured ample evidence against Isaacson and others, and that the other cases would be attended to when this was concluded.

Fort Leavenworth presented a lonely and deserted appearance yesterday, and the few uniforms seen almost appeared to be out of place. There are but twenty-four regulars left to guard the property and take care of twenty-six general prisoners, and this gives them plenty to do. There are yet a few student officers at the post. but all whose regiments have been called into the field have received orders to join their regiments. Those who have not already left will get away this week.

Major Jacob Augur, Fourth cavalry, assistant commandant of the school, is now commandant of the post, with Lieutenant Cusack, Fifth cavalry, as post adjutant. Captain A. G. Hammond, Eighth cavalry, succeeds Captain Rogers as secretary of Captain A. G. Hammond, Eighth cavalry, succeeds Captain Rogers as secretary of the school, while Captain W. B. Reynolds, Fourteenth infantry, discharges the duties of commissary, ordnance and signal officer. Colonel Rowland, governor of the Soldiers' home, has suggested that a detachment of the old veterans be detailed to care for the cost. post, and this may be favorably

#### District Court.

During the session of the district court yesterday, Judge Myers granted a divorce to Carrie Wittenberg from Henry Wittenberg on the grounds of gross neglect of duty. The defendant was ordered to pay to the clerk of the court by Saturday, April 23, 3700 as alimony for the plaintiff. A divorce was granted to Madeline Snyder from Andrew Snyder on the ground of abandonment.

der from Andrew Snyder on the ground of abandonment.

Several motions were heard and disposed of after which the murder case against Sam Sully was called. The defense announced its readiness to proceed, when the work of securing a jury commenced. The regular panel soon became exhausted, when the judge ordered a special venire of fiftyone men. These were selected from the southern portion of the county. Court then adjourned until 9:30 this morning.

#### Wants to Secede From the City.

J. C. Store, Jr., who lives three miles southwest from the city, owns eighty acres within the south confines of the city which he wants set out of the city for taxable purposes. He has filed an application in the district court in which he states that he has been paying city taxes on the property, but derives none of the benefits supposed to be afforded by a city. He states that his property is half a mile from a sidewalk and two miles from a hydrant or fire plug, and half a mile from a school house. This condition, he states, affords his property no police or fire protection, and that the school is too far away to be of benefit, although he pays taxes for all these privileges. He therefore asks Judge Myers to set his property outside the city limits and allow it to be taxed in Delaware township.

#### Two Fires.

At 2:15 yesterday morning fire was discovered at 732 Cherokee street, in a frame building belonging to Al Golend, and used as a saloon. Two other buildings were attached and as the entire structure was called the street was called the ware seen destroyed. The

## To Inspect the Company

A special meeting of Leavenworth company, No. 9. Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, is called for this evening at the court house. B. E. Riveley, of Kangas City, colonel of the First regiment of the order, will be here to inspect the company. He proposes to find out in what condition the men are and how many are ready to go to the front. Leavenworth company has been drilling under an efficient instructor and is in good shape to hold its own, when called upon.

Henry Swenson was arrested yesterday by Constable Niebauer upon a charge of disturbing the peace, preferred by George B, Ford. He will be tried Saturday in Justice Bond's court.

Marriage licenses were granted yesterday to Jake Kunz, aged 22, and Stella Gibson, aged 20; Herman F. Blockberger, aged 25, and Sue O'Rourke, aged 22; Robert M. Watt, aged 24, and Martha C. Weingarth, aged 24. Watt, aged 24, and Martha C. Weingarth, aged 24.
At a special meeting of the Leavenworth Poultry and Pet Stock Association, J. L. Todd, of Atlantic, Ia., was elected as judge for the next exhibit.
The entertainment given by the Young Men's Catholic Casino at the opera house Tuesday night proved to be a success, and drew a crowded house.

A meeting was held last night to organize a company of 100 young men between 20

a company of 100 young men between 20 and 25 years of age, to be tendered to the government for volunteer service. A large umber signed the list. Real estate transfers yesterday amounted

Real estate transfers yesterday amounted to \$2.000. William Kenney was fined \$5 in the police court yesterday on the charge of vagrancy. The high school boys have organized a military company and are drilling. The city council met last night and four new councilmen entered upon their official duties. These are: W. H. Craig, Second ward: J. P. Bauserman, Third ward; Martin Ehart, Fifth ward, and Robert McGinity, Sixth ward.

Mrs. Mary McNerney was tripped up by a loose plank in the sidewalk and thrown with such force that she broke both bones of her right arm. with such force that she broke both bones of her right arm.

While in the crowd watching the de-parture of the soldiers Tuesday, Mrs. Thomas McNally had her pocket picked. She was relieved of her purse, which con-tained Jis.

tained \$10. Dr. W. R. Tuyl has tendered his serv-Dr. W. R. Tuyl has tempered in ices to the government as surgeon. Ex-County Attorney C. P. Rutherford and family have gone to Seattle, Wash., make their future home. A Matter of Taste.

#### The dining car and eating house service of the Santa Fe route has a national repu-tation. Experienced travelers know that tation. Experienced travelers know that on the Santa Fe they are sure of a fault

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City. City. Boy Bitten by Vicious Dog.

James Roselli, a boy living at 406 East Fifth street, was bitten on the left arm by a dog, at Fifth and Cherry streets, last night. He was taken to Central police station, where Surgeon Longan cauterized the Dining Car Line.

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INTERNATIONAL LAW, ARMY LIFE AND PRESS REPORTS DISCUSSED.

H. L. McCune Tells of the Law, Phil S. Creager of the Press Reports and War News and E. A. Krauthoff of the Army.

Three interesting questions connected with the Spanish-American imbroglio and the anticipated struggle between these two powers were discussed at the First Congregational church last night in the presence of an audience composed largely of young men and young women, the speakers having been selected with especial reference to their fitness to enlighten their hearers on the respective themes.

H. L. McCune talked of "The Humani-

tarian Spirit in International Affairs," the trend of his discourse being to justify the intervention of the United States in half of Cuba upon some principle of in-ternational law. In his researches on the subject he had found himself handicapped by the fact that but one volume on inter-national law is found in the public library, and that published over 100 years ago. Legal authorities consulted were prompt and almost unanimous of the opinion that there was no principle of international law authorizing one sovereign state to inter-fere with another sovereign state to regulate the conduct of its own internal af-fairs. It was conceded, however, that the insults heaped upon Spain and the resolu-tions introduced in congress were grounds sufficient to justify Spain in declaring war against the United States. Mr. McCune was able to quote precedent for the course of the United States, and he was of the opinion that, with precedent and public sentiment both in favor of it, intervention under such circumstances becomes a principle of international law. If it is a duty to feed the starving people of another na tion, it is a duty to go further and see that the cause for such a condition is remove The ultimatum has gone forth and the whole people will abide the consequences and stand by the president.

Phil S. Creager talked interestingly of

"War, the Press and the Public," sketching briefly the means and methods of collecting the news of the day and the various processes it goes through before being read from the pages of a freshly printed paper. The sources from which war and other telegraphic news is obtained, the quantity of words forming the day and night reports the army of correspondents required, the enormous expense incurred and the cost to papers handling the Associated Press report were all touched upon, as well as the reliability and accuracy of the reports which appear from time to time in the daily papers. Under the latter head yellow journalism was considered, together with that class of newspapers to whose management truth, while not in itself objection able, is a secondary consideration. The great difficulty, if not impossibility, of securing absolute accuracy in the evening pa-pers was explained, but it was conceded that in the morning papers the public is entitled to demand greater accuracy. Mr Creager suggested the probability that during the next two weeks there will be pub-lished more unfounded rumors and outrag-

eous fakes than ever before and advised

his hearers to gauge all news by the stand-

ard of common sense, which would generally prevent them from being led very far

astray.
"What manner of men are these who are about to defend us?" was practically the question discussed by E. A. Krauthoff, who gave a rapid but comprehensive out line of the garrison life of officers and en-listed men; of the selection and training of the cadets appointed to West Point and of the results as shown in the high type of mental and physical perfection attained. The requirements of the enlisted men are that they are American citizens, that they can read and write, that the enlistment is voluntary, that they have a certificate of good character, and that they come up to a certain standard of physical perfec tion. The American army was described as the best fed army in the world, the best housed, provided with every religious ad-vantage, and supplied at all important posts with libraries and the latest books periodicals. The history of the officer was traced from the time of his cadetship to the time he is sent out with his com mission for the active duties of army life and special stress was laid upon the re quirement for absolute honesty of all officers, who must, in the strictest sense of the words, be responsible upon "the honor of an officer and a gentleman." The result a higher type of Christian character and physical perfection than these men who compose the American army now being mobilized for the defense of the nation's onor and the relief of the oppressed Cu ban people, he said.

## TO TALK OVER OLD TIMES.

Members of the Crair Rifles to Meet and Discuss Experiences of Years Ago.

From 1877 to 1890 the Craig Rifles was the crack military company of Kansas City, and the pride of every lover of correct and the pride of every lover of correct military ideas. There were about 100 of the substantial men of Kansas City en-rolled as members of the company, and when they turned out to do the honors to some celebrated individual who might chance to be the guest of the city, the honors were done in a manner that satis-fied and delighted all citizens. A combina-tion of causes consided to force the com-

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The state would do nothing suitable for
the militia, and the company would not go
into it, consequently the organization was
allowed to lapse, although it never formally disbanded.

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to hold a reunion of all the members of
the Craig Rifles in the city at the Coates
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## Burglars Taken to Hallsville.

Special Agent Nichols, of the Wabash railroad, came to Kansas City yesterday to take John W. Carpenter and W. P. Rainey, the two men who broke into the station at Hallsville, Mo., last Sunday night, back to that place to be prosecuted for burglary. The Pacific Express Company, whose blank checks the burglars stole from the station, had already secured a warrant for the men on a charge of forgery. It was not decided last night on which charge they would be tried first.

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OLIVER H. DEAN, Trustee. LEGAL NOTICES.

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Joseph DuBois was the first captain of the company, E. V. Wilkes, Colonel John Conover and John Duncan, lieutenants. Afterwards they moved up the line. Colonel Conover commanded the Rifles for two years, and Captain John Duncan was in command for eight years.

Among the well known men of the city who were members and regularly seen in line were Gardiner Lathrop. Thomas P. Morrow, Watson J. Ferry, W. D. Charde, Samuel Daniels, Howard McCutcheon, H. H. Craig, Waiton Holmes, Dr. Bogie, W. H. Winants, General Milton Moore, Colonel George P. Gross, Colonel John Conover, Con Murphy, J. K. Davidson and several others equally well known. Among the other members who have left the city were syl T. Smith, the mining magnate of Denver, and T. P. Oakes, who was famous in connection with the Great Northern railroad. Colonel Kearney, who died here less than a year ago, was one of the active members of the company.

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PROPOSALS for military supplies—Office purchasing commissary U. S. Army, 716 New York Life building, Kansas City, Mo., April 18, 1858. Sealed proposals subject to the usual conditions will be received here until 11 o'clock a. m., April 29, 1898, and then opened in the presence of bidders, for furnishing to the subsistence department such quantities of all the articles of the ration and all the articles kept for sale by the subsistence department as may be required by the 30th day of May, 1898. Circulars giving list of articles, general description, information, etc., with blank forms, can be procured at this office. Bidders may specify fixed amounts or not to exceed such amounts as they desire, if they do not propose to furnish any article in unlimited quantities. Preference will be given to articles of domestic production, cost including duty thereon being considered. A. E. Smith, Major and C. S., U. S. A. NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administra-tion on the estate of Lona Fink, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the probate court of the county of Jackson, state of Missouri, at Kan-sas City, on the 9th day of April, 1898. All persons having claims against said cattle are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said es-tate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever bearred.

forever barred.

Dated this 9th day fof April, 1898.

ALFRED HART, Administrators Leon Block, Attorney.